

I feel the morse requirement should remain as part of the test to recieve the amateur radio license. With the applicant able to memorize the corret answers on the written tests, learning the code actually requires some study time to learn and I believe they would appreciate the HF spectrum more this way. By lowering the standards you may have more applicants to become amateur operators, but the quality of the operator will diminish. Learning five words per minute does not take a lot of time and is not unreasonable. I love amateur radio and this issue is very important. Once control of amateur radio is lost, it might become impossible to ever reclaim.